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Pictorial Feature Of Fall Quarter

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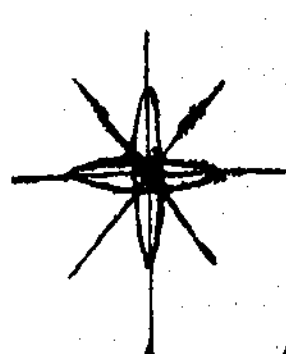
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MERRY CHRISTMAS



Dead Week - It's Purpose And Effectiveness

Very few people have the delusion that Dead Week achieves its original purpose. About 1953, the students of GSCW requested that a week be set aside before final exams in which extracurricular activities would be cut to a minimum and field trips prohibited. The administration under President

Sanford granted their request. However, the students of this college have defeated their own purpose.

Most students on campus describe Dead Week somewhat like this: "It's a farce," "I don't see any difference in Dead Week and any other week," and "This is the busiest week of the whole quarter." None of the students seem to think Dead Week has achieved its real purpose.

However, the students have often failed to see the real reason Dead Week has failed: the students themselves. The rules against meetings of campus organizations have been carried out fairly well, and field trips are never allowed during Dead Week. Certainly Dead Week is very busy academically as students and teachers try to finish the required subject matter for the various courses, but, contrary to popular belief, there has never been a rule against texts

during Dead Week. However, the students themselves have arranged lots of parties and meetings that do not require permission from the Dean's office. According to the Dean's office more requests for exceptions to Dead Week rules have been submitted this quarter than ever before.

Dean Christenberry believes that the students are the ones who will have to make Dead Week effective. Since the students at Georgia College help make their own rules through CGA, his suggestion can be realized. Only when the students become concerned enough about the ineffectiveness of Dead Week and decide to dispatch of some of the nonacademic activities during this week can Dead Week achieve its original purpose. If the students weigh the matter and decide that higher academic performance just is not worth discontinuing outside activities, then Dead Week will continue as it is.

Winter Happenings With Rec.

The Recreation Association has been hard at work compiling a Calendar for the coming quarter. REC hopes that the student body will enjoy the activities, movies, and dances that have been planned.

Friday, January 10 --- Dance featuring the "U.S. Kids".

Friday, January 24 - Movie: "Baby the Rain Must Fall" with Steve McQueen and Lee Remick.

Friday, February 7 - Dance - featuring "The Gentrys", recorders of "Keep on Dancing".

Saturday, February 15 - Dance - "The Orient Express".

Thursday, February 20 and Friday, February 21 - Penquin Demonstration at the pool.

Saturday, Feb. 22 - Movie: "To Kill a Mockingbird" with Gregory Peck.

Thursday, Feb. 27 and Friday, Feb. 28 - Tumbling Club Demonstration at the Pool.

Saturday, March 1 - Dance: "Royal V".

Thursday, March 6 - Modern Dance Demonstration in Russell Auditorium.

Note: Dances will be held in the gym from 8 until 12. Movies will be in Russell Auditorium at 7:30.

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

(And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.)

And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:)

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Everybody's Scramble

Have you ever noticed the sign in the dining hall that reads "This is not a cafeteria, it's a scramble"? This is not meant as a joke. Do you know what it means? A scramble system is a free flow system based on selection or choice rather than a complete meal each time the student goes through the serving area. The term "free flow" indicates that there is no line involved. The student should enter the serving area and

scramble. If one only wants salad and soup, he picks them up and leaves. Or, if he does want a full meal, he does not have to stay in line to complete it. If the bread table is empty, the student should go there first to avoid creating more of a jam at the salad table. The rest of the meal can be picked up at any of the other stations in any order. The student should choose only what he wants to eat and not pick up what

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The Student?

He speaks out against the wrongs of society and government, and joins in the riots at Berkeley. He fights with the police in Chicago and cries "Russians Go Home" when Prague is invaded. He supports his candidate in every presidential campaign and heckles the others when they try to speak. He's concerned with his fellow man's well-being yet burns his draft card. He's an idealist in every way yet knows nothing of life. He cries "Reform" and throws aside the reality of life. Though he's beaten and spat upon, he never gives up his search for freedom yet he'll close his eyes to the truth and sees only what he wishes too.

Are these individuals -- the student?

Post Office

Cramped And Crowded

One should not attack an established system or should we say "the establishment", without some solution to improve, change or replace the established way. This is true of the Georgia College post office. Of course, you have been in the post office because every student, including day students, is required to rent a box for the sum of three dollars a year. Could not this fee be included in our activity fund - it would take a load off the post office employees who are already pressured and cramped for space. (You can note this by simple observation).

You more than likely share your post office box with another student - you may know him, you may not. Perhaps you share your box with even more than one person. Let's see, a \$3.00 a piece that's

When you pick up your packages from the post office window tomorrow, notice the P.O. employees scurrying around trying to get the mail in your boxes as quickly as possible (but it is kind of difficult to work hurriedly when there is barely walking space.) Could not the wall behind the post office be knocked out and more working space be provided?

There are 700 boxes for the 1500 G.C. students -- who must pay a rental fee -- and over 100 boxes are given to faculty, staff AND maintenance -- without a rental fee. Why does each faculty member have a box to himself when the mail could be delivered to the department and thereby relieve some of the cramped conditions suffered by the students?

Of course, the new college union will house the modern post office, but can we wait? What will happen next September when we not only have more students, but also many more faculty members. We need something now.

The Hungry I

In the last issue of the Colonnade there appeared an article attempting to give a superficial explanation for the \$15.00 increase in dining hall fees which the administration has decided to con out of the students. The hike is supposed to cover the "seconds" a student may receive. G.C. students were highly surprised and outraged by the increase food prices. Had the administration been a little snicker and raised another price instead, it would have been accepted without too much hostility.

After going through a whole quarter of the lousiest food of the smallest selection and portion the students have to fork out more money according to the administration. That took super gall! But the supreme insult to the intelligence of the G.C. student was the half-baked (like everything else the dining hall dishes out) excuse given. Since most students do not get seconds anyway it seems unfair to charge them. What it all boils down to is the fact that a lot of students are paying for a few, enough to anger the pansiest person on campus. Further resentment lies with the wee people of Georgia College. As they come through the cafeteria line they are scooped over and evaluated as to the proportion of food they need for bare survival by the head dishers. The little guys (especially females) come out on the short end of the deal everytime with a minute proportion on their plates.

In view of the fact that students do not have any option in buying or not buying a meal ticket, he is forced to accept the administration's terms. However, it would be wise for the dining hall to display a new trend in victuals next quarter. (The dining hall is not a scramble; it's a gamble). An increase in fees should bring an increase in quality. So go to it "grubbers". Either put out or get out!



GC -A Crip College

During this quarter many students have been heard to say that they came to Georgia College to bring up their point average. This seems to be a fallacy. Evidently the outside world doesn't know that GC is rated very highly academically in the state. With this kind of statewide standing it seems that many students who transfer here become strongly awakened to the fact that GC is not, by any means, crip.

A conversation overheard this weekend in the SU seems to show that at least one person with the idea of bringing up his average at GC has realized perhaps he picked the wrong school. He was complaining that he had come here to pull up his grades for this quarter are so low he hasn't helped that average in the least, in fact, he doesn't have the average to stay in here either.

Maybe one day students will learn that rather than change colleges so often they could try a little studying.

Join The Colonnade

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1969 - 6:30 p.m.

In Mayfair

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More Excuses

Unfortunately the end of the quarter is fast approaching. Now is the time for all smart students to come up with a good excuse as to why they flunked freshman English, math 212, biology 123, etc. Maybe the following list of excuses will be of alie to some poor soul too stupid to think of his own excuse.

1. The house mother had the television going too loud. It's very hard to concentrate between The Edge of Night and As the World Turns.

2. Due to the inadequate amounts of food served in the lunchroom. I nearly starved to death this quarter. Not only were rations meagre, they were also very hard to figure out. (I'm still not sure of what that was we had last night.)

3. I received so much mail (mid-term grades and various notes from the office) this quarter that I had to spend a considerable part of each day in answering all my letters.

4. My room mate came in drunk every night this quarter. It's that girl he's been hanging around with. She's a pretty bad influence on him. Oh well, at least he stopped drinking shoe polish.

5. Of course there was the week I missed classes because I was in the infirmary. I tried to kill myself with ornade.

6. There was also the week I had a brain concussion as a result of falling down the stairs in the dormitory and landing on my head. I can't imagine how I managed to fall down the stairs. They are in perfect condition.

7. There was another week where I had a minor accident. I was causually walking down the Clarke Street Entrance when I tripped over this huge concrete protrusion (I was later informed this protrusion was known as a speed breaker, although I know of something else it broke).

8. I can also recall missing a few days of class suffering from roach bites received in Terrell B. We haven't seen too many roaches lately. They got into a bunch of sack suppers one Sunday night and since then roaches have been pretty scarce around the dorm.

9. One week I developed pneumonia. I was causually strolling across the dam one night with a friend (my mind momentarily wandered away from what I was doing) and I accidentally stepped off the top of the dam and rolled into the water.

If your parents fail to fall for any of these jewels then just tell them the truth, that you cut each class twelve times plus you didn't even crack a book. Who would believe a dumb excuse like that?

FALL QUARTER-1968



Movin' them Frosh in.



J.A.'s - hard at work



Rat Week



Inauguration of Dr. Bunting



The Tams at Fall Dance



We stand united



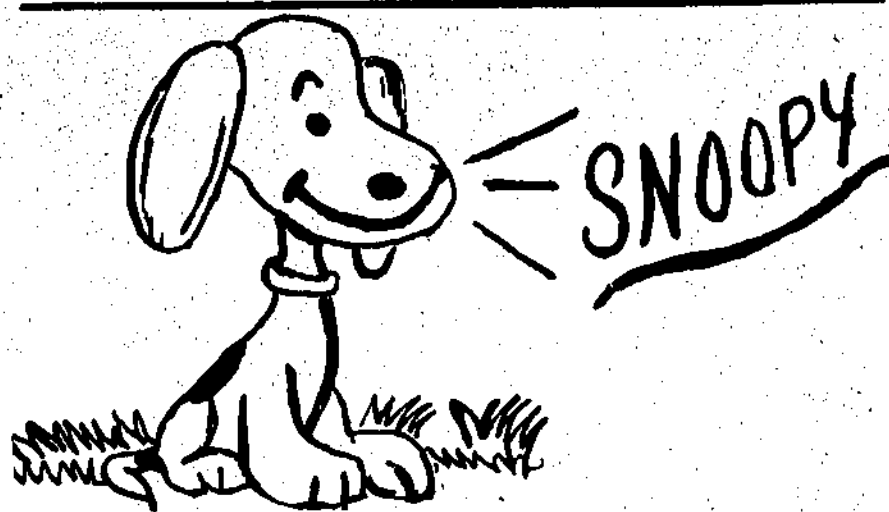
Royal - Irish won



Finals Already?



Dead Week!



Dennis J., when's the last time somebody laid a club on you?

Business majors be ware, carry a life preserver to L. 105, the Jordan River gets deep this time of year.

Connie V. wants anybody with stolen library books to contribute them to the C. Vinson Memorial Library.

Harvel B., Dictator of the DSO.

Mary, Do you have your paint on sale this week?

Bobbie C., What would you like for Christmas?

A special hello to my pen pals in box 712.

Harvey McWilliams, You got it coming to you.

James M., Tutored anybody in Spanish lately?

Bobby B., How did you like your shave last Monday night?

Terrell B is depressing. It also leaves much to be desired.

Brenda A., Thanks for the potted meat and the V8 juice.

Palma L., Who taught you how to play the saxophone?

The director of the Georgia College Band recently received his doctorate in Conntourology. He is now qualified to wet reeds, open spit valves, adjust neck straps and to observe all gyrations and twists on pipes, tubes and horns.

Who's pulling the fire alarm in Beeson?

Surprise entry in the Miss Georgia College Pageant is that fashionable Doris Floyd. Talent: skilled exercises.

What was that beautiful original "Ointment" someone removed from the Christmas tree before Mrs. C. arrived for 3rd floor Terrell Christmas Party?

Melinda - What's this about you and Mr. Bubble?

Bell Annex - May it Rest in Peace.

Bonnie W. - Zoom!

L. Adamson, How's the

light bulb business?

Mike C., Better check the back door to Herty. Those cram sessions in zoo lab are pretty good, aren't they? By the way how is your private library coming along?

Is that the bath tub drain or Donna burping again?

Jackie M., Which door do you use to enter the cafeteria?

Love that music from Ennis.

Twiggy, Hear you like to go deer hunting in your Volkswagen.

Penny - pitching can be fun and profitable. It can also be expensive can't it Nancy H., Raphael, Gresham and J. Thompson?

S. Becker, How do you like fruit boots?

Place your bets now. Are the Monyihans going to ride or fly home for Christmas?

The Soccer field is not located in third floor Terrell C.

Carol C., Why did you and Donna C. leave all those melted marshmallows in mu pizza pan?

Cheryl C., You certainly did need that Christmas present you received at the Christmas party. Maybe you better borrow Rita's too.

Ruth T., Don't you have sense enough to unplug an empty coffee pot? Are you trying to burn Terrell B down? That's not a bad idea.

Joy T., What's with this fourteen second thump? Snoopy says Merry Christmas and don't get too polluted on New Year's.

Will the girl who left her dress in Rod C.'s car please remove it.

Ellen A. swings on 3rd floor Lanier.

Kath and Linda, a tree grows in Sanford?

Emily H., who let the cat out of the bag?

Duck, does the key work yet?

Tempting Taffy, where are you?

Dr. Lamb digs ballistic

HORRORSCOPE

hurting yourself.



SAGITTARIUS (NOVEMBER 22-DECEMBER 21) Don't spend all that money you won flipping pennies in one store. Crud's has a sale on Tippy - Toe dolls.



ARIES (MARCH 21-APR. 19) Don't be surprised if Satna doesn't bring you anything. You haven't been very good this year.



LEO (JULY 23-AUGUST 22) Be sure to stay up Christmas Eve. You may have a rather distinguished visitor at your house.



CAPRICORN (DECEMBER 22 - JANUARY 19) Plan to spend a very lonely holiday season. Parties and fun are out, sleeping is in.



TAURUS (APRIL 20-MAY 20) Be sure to buy presentx for all your friends. Nose warmers are in season.



VIRGO (AUGUST 23-SEPTEMBER 22) All the studying you've been doing is going to help--your grades will be better than ever!



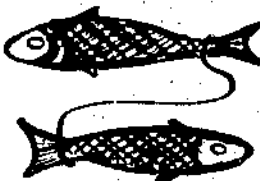
ACQUARIUS (JANUARY 20-FEBRUARY 18) After finals, go home and party; but be sure to enjoy yourself before your grades get home.



GEMINI (MAY 21-JUNE 20) Send Christmas cards to all your friends. Tell them you hope they'll be back next quarter.



LIBRA (SEPTEMBER 23-OCTOBER 22) Surprise your lover(s) with a very inexpensive Christmas gift--a piece of mistletoe.



PISCES (FEBRUARY 19-MARCH 20) There is safety in numbers especially at parties. Be sure you have a friend along to keep you from



CANCER (JUNE 21-JULY 22) Over the holidays it is recommended that you study for your courses for next quarter. They may be hard.



SCORPIO (OCTOBER 23-NOVEMBER 21) Santa Claus will be good to you but watch out for those professors. The holidays will be a good time to talk about things.

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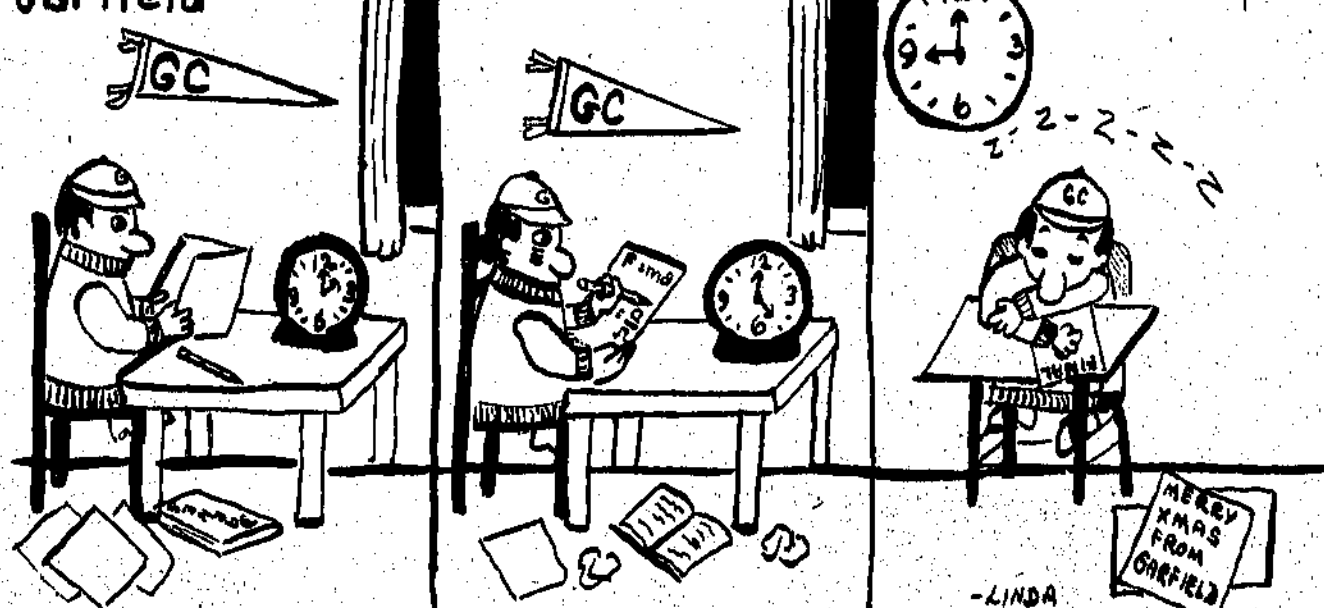
he does not want.

The administration realizes that something is lacking in our scramble system. Several food service managers have been invited to observe our system and give their opinions. The food consultant employed to design the system believes that the system will not work here as long as the students pay a set price for three meals a day. He said if the students paid separately for each meal eaten, the scramble system would work. But it is impossible to change to this type of payment

until the Board of Regents approves this move. And the Regents usually take their time in deciding on such matters. The food consultant also suggested to the administration that classes should be more staggered to have fewer people eating at the noon rush hour. This problem is being worked on presently and hopefully classes will be better scattered next quarter.

Hopefully, with this brief explanation students will understand more about how the system should work and try to help it work. It does work. Other schools and restaurants use the scramble system. So, if you're tired of standing and waiting in line, get in there and move.

Garfield



Have a Wonderful Time



New Year's Eve